

SENATE RESOLUTION 273
By Kilby

A RESOLUTION to commend Brandalyn Michelle Hayes for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Brandalyn Michelle Hayes is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Tommy Kilby; Ms. Hayes's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at Tennessee State University, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Ms. Hayes has achieved academic success while majoring in Political Science with an emphasis on Pre-Law and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, an active and important part of numerous laudable organizations at Tennessee State University, Ms. Hayes has held membership in the Phi Alpha Delta Pre Law Fraternity, the University Honors Council which she has served as Secretary, the NAACP, and Project Support Education and Empowerment; she has also volunteered with the Student Union Board of Governors and has been a Sophomore Ambassador Volunteer; and

WHEREAS, an outstanding scholar, Ms. Hayes has received numerous accolades for the exemplary quality of her academic endeavors, which include being named to Tennessee State University's Dean's List and the National Dean's List; selected to participate in the

Tennessee State University Honors Program; awarded the 2003-2004 *Princeton Review* LSAT Scholarship; and selected as a Nominee for the International Mission on Diplomacy; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Hayes's myriad accomplishments are a great source of pride for her mother, Sharon Hayes, her grandparents, Margarete and Mckinley Hayes, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexity of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Ms. Hayes brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2004 session of the One Hundred Third General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2004 legislative session, Ms. Hayes has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Hayes has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Brandalyn Michelle Hayes for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Tommy Kilby and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.